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Cut Prices on Garments.

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LOCAL NEWS

MORRISVILLE

Stowe's all right!

G. A. Wilkins was a visitor in Burlington last week.

G. A. Wilkins is in St. Johnsbury on business this week.

Hon. Joseph DeBoer of Montpelier will speak at the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

Sidney Sweet returned Monday to Burlington, after a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Wakefield.

D. J. Thomas has purchased of G. W. Clark the Muzzy house on Morrinstown Plains and took possession Saturday.

There will be no Brotherhood meeting at the Cong'l church next Sunday evening. Jan. 28, Frank H. Tracy of Montpelier will speak on "Prison Reforms".

Mrs. Ada Marvin is packing her household goods, preparatory to moving to St. Albans, where she expects to make her future home. Her two children have already begun school there.

Dr. John M. Cauty of Wells River a graduate of the University of Toronto and Ontario Veterinary College has opened an office in the Drowne Block on Portland street. Dr. Cauty practiced during the past summer with Dr. L. A. Evans of St. Johnsbury.

It is safe to say that a large audience will greet Hon. Jos. A. DeBoer, of Montpelier, who is to speak before the Young Men's Association at the Methodist church on Sunday evening next. Mr. DeBoer is an interesting speaker and all who hear him will be well repaid.

Have you purchased that Band Pair ticket yet?

Leroy S. Morse of Jeffersonville was in town today.

P. A. and S. H. S. will play basketball at this place next Friday evening.

Mrs. B. J. Kelley went Monday to Waterville to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Willey.

Mrs. Allen Phillips left this morning for Comstock, N. Y., to visit Mr. Phillips, who has employment there.

Mrs. C. B. Brownell of Vergennes, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Slayton, for several weeks, went Monday to Burlington. She was accompanied there by Mrs. Slayton.

The 62nd annual statement of the National Life Insurance Co. of Vermont is published on page 4 of this issue. If you want insurance of the best kind—and who doesn't?—read this statement and act accordingly.

Mrs. Eliza Strong, who has been with her son, Arthur Strong, in Central Point, Ore., for the past year, arrived in town Monday evening. She will move to her farm, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, where she will remain for the present.

Time to think of automobiles. And in this connection we call attention to the adv't of S. E. Pope of Jeffersonville on page 3 of this paper. Mr. Pope is agent for the "Ford," one of the most popular machines and of which there are in Lamoille county more than of any other one make. The 1912 machines are now in and Mr. Pope will answer any correspondence relating thereto.

The Big Band Fair Next Week

Among the various attractions at the Morrisville Military Band Fair next week will be a vocal solo with band accompaniment, Mrs. Ila Niles Jackson; trombone solo with band accompaniment, Mrs. E. E. Bamforth; reading, Miss S. Carrie Chase; piano solo, Miss Lula Towne; clarinet solo, Miss Vivian Greene; scotch songs, Mrs. Jackson and Robert Gordon and the farce "Smith, the Aviator," in which the cast of characters are as follows:—

Nikodemus Smith, an insurance agent, K. B. Kramer
Dr. Jack Scaffery, a wealthy patent medicine manufacturer, H. E. Wright
Bridget O'Grady, the doctor's maid of all work, C. W. Barrows
Alice Scaffery, the doctor's sister, R. W. Eaton
Augusta Von Schiller, "Gus" for short—Alice's schoolmate, M. P. Cutting
Moving pictures will also be included in the list of attractions.

Universalist Pastor Accepts Call

Rev. R. D. Crammer of Canton, N. Y., to whom a call was extended to become the pastor of the local Universalist church, has accepted the call and will commence his pastorate here about June 1st. Mr. Crammer is a graduate of Canton University and is at the present time taking a post-graduate course in that institution. He has for the past year and a half been supplying a pulpit near Canton and comes to this place highly recommended.

Death of Alpheus Parker

Alpheus Parker died very suddenly Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Foss, with whom he had made his home for several years. Mr. Parker had been in his usual health and was building the fire about 8 o'clock Sunday morning, when the family was aroused by a groan, and going to the room found Mr. Parker dead, death being due to a shock.

The deceased was born in Barre about 80 years ago. He was married in 1860 and in 1861 enlisted in the Civil War and served in the 3rd Vt. Regiment.

Mr. Parker by his kind and generous manner made many friends, who will sincerely mourn his loss.

Besides one sister, Mrs. J. T. Hill, of Montpelier, he is survived by several nieces and nephews.

The funeral, which was under the direction of the G. A. R., was held from the home of his nephew, H. C. Parker, on Summer street Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. W. T. Best of the M. E. church officiating and the remains were placed in the tomb.

Water & Light Bills Well Paid

The past few days have been busy ones for C. A. Slayton, of the Water & Light Board "sitting at the receipt of customs" and taking in the semi annual rentals which, he says, have come in very good. By the way, the new quarters of the Board, in the annex to the Drowne Block, are very handy and very convenient, much better than the old location. A store-room has been fitted up in the rear for keeping supplies and the front room is fitted up in modern shape for an office. Drop in and see how convenient everything is and ask "Cal" all the questions you wish about the water and light business and he'll answer you "to the best of his knowledge and belief."

Burlington & Lamoille Not All to Blame

The B. & L. Railroad gets a good many hard knocks for lateness of trains these days. While it is true that sometimes the fault for this delay is owing to the condition of the road or the motive power, in many cases the delay is caused by the trains on other roads run in connection therewith. The fact is that about all the delays of this train is because it almost invariably has to wait at Essex Junction for the Boston train on the Central. If the delays on the Central could be remedied, or the B. & L. not held up almost every evening at that famous stopping place, Essex Junction, the delay of trains on the B. & L. road would be much less than they now are.

The Eastern Star entertainment and installation last evening were well attended.

Harold Fisher went to Lyme, Conn., Monday, where he has a position as instructor in a college there.

Tucker Chapter R. A. M. will work the Royal Arch degree Friday evening, after which an oyster supper will be served.

Saleeby, the Johnson merchant, is offering some rare bargains in his adv't th's week. Read it, on page five, and see where you can save money.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings Bank the same board of directors were re-elected. The organization remains the same.

Listen! That is what your attention is called to on page 6. It is A. G. Small's big Listen Sale and the adv't calls attention to bargains in all departments that are exceptionally rare—in fact it is a money-saver for you and you cannot afford to let this golden opportunity go by.

Stowe Entertains

Business Men of Morrisville and Hyde Park Most Royally

Splendid Reception—Splendid Banquet—Splendid Entertainers Say All the Visitors

"Happy have we met,
Happy have we been,
Happy let us part,
And happy meet again."

Last evening a large number of the business men of Morrisville and Hyde Park were guests of the business men of Stowe. Invitations sent out a few days ago to these men were readily accepted, because it was a well-known fact that when the business men of Stowe set out to do anything they do it in the best manner possible, and no wonder was it that over fifty responded to the invitation, and that in spite of the weather conditions.

The event was an informal and social one arranged by the business men of Stowe to show their good will to their neighbors and also for the purpose of having them meet their old friend, "Ned" Webster in his new vocation as proprietor of the Green Mountain Inn.

It was eight o'clock when the last of the guests arrived and after being received in "due and ancient form" by Mine Host Webster, a committee of the business men and Fred Boardman, the dining-rooms were opened and the guests seated. The tables were nicely set up and at each place was a souvenir menu, the work of the News and Citizen office. A corps of young ladies, well skilled in the waiting art, were in attendance and the following was the menu, well prepared and nicely served:

Oysters—Blue Points Raw	Celery
Queen Olives	Baked New-England Chicken Pie
Cranberry Sauce	Riced Potatoes
Peas	Corn
Roast Beef	Roast Pork
Parker House Rolls	Crab Salad
Cabbage Salad	Assorted Cake
Fruit Jelly	Whipped Cream
Vanilla Ice Cream	Malaga Grapes
Cocoa	Apples
Cigars—Punch	Fea

The culinary department of the house, under the management of Mrs. Eliza Griswold showed that she is no novice in that art, but rather that her large experience well fits her for the position that she fills under the new management of the Green Mountain Inn.

At the close of the banquet, with Dr. Barrows as toastmaster, Hon. F. G. Fleetwood was called upon to respond for Morrisville, which was done in a very felicitous manner, the remarks eliciting frequent bursts of laughter and hearty applause. L. H. Lewis replied for Hyde Park "and the county" and C. L. McMahon, in a very interesting way, spoke for Stowe. Mine Host Webster was called upon and in his usual good style responded, concluding with one of his "pat" stories. With "What's the matter with Webster" and a "skyscraper," the assembly repaired to the office, where mirth and good humor flowed in unlimited quantities. Among those who spoke were Dr. Robinson, Dr. Slayton, C. H. A. Stafford, A. G. Small, C. F. Eddy, Senator Pike, C. E. Savery, (who gave some very clever hypnotic and prestidigitator "stunts"), Dr. Slayton and L. P. Thayer—the two latter speaking particularly of the contemplated railroad connection of Stowe with the northern towns. All were heartily applauded. The "exercises" were interspersed with songs, splendidly rendered by a double quartet, in which all the audience, even Geo. Town, joined heartily. At midnight with "Good Night, Ladies" the assembly broke up and the guests took their departure—all expressing themselves as not only being splendidly entertained, but pronouncing it "the best ever," which it certainly was.

Those from other towns than Stowe were—C. H. A. Stafford, Geo. E. Town, W. P. Churchill, J. A. Waite, A. N. Camp, H. Waite, Chas. Kramer, W. F. Sherman, F. E. Wheeler, Bruce McDonald, A. L. Cheney, F. L. George, N. B. Blair, C. W. McFarland, A. R. Campbell, I. A. Robinson, J. F. Jackson, Chas. Raymore, L. M. Munson, E. H. VanCor, W. H. Town, H. L. Stevens, Dr. Slayton, A. W. Waite, F. O. Hunt, A. J. Smith, L. P. Thayer, W. M. Sargent, G. W. Warren, A. C. Sulham, C. L. Gates, F. G. Fleetwood, B. J. Kelley, W. F. Benson, J. M. Kelley, A. J. Small, R. P. Briggs, G. F. Earle, H. I. Fisher, Dr. Johnstone and F. VanDusen, of Morrisville.

Hyde Park was represented by N. G. Wood, Chas. Goddard, R. S. Page, W. D. Strong, C. E. Savery and L. H. Lewis.

A Few Notes

Fred Smith talked special freight rates a trifle, but shook off dull care with a vengeance.

Prof. Burnham led the singing with Newton Camp a close second followed up by Charlie Goddard and Charlie Riley.

Orlo Luce, always "glad to see you," greeted everybody with that cordiality that made all feel at home at once.

The happiest man? There was no distinction—everybody present had a right royal good time and wouldn't have missed it for anything.

Stowe when it sets out to do a thing, "does it" as it should be, and that was true in every respect in this case.

Hon. P. D. Pike, one of Stowe's worthy citizens and a strong business man was present and fully enjoyed the event.

Dr. Barrows as a presiding officer has few equals. His introduction of the various speakers elicited mirth every time.

Vern Wilkins, in spite of his infirmities, was present and enjoyed every minute and many were glad to take him by the hand.

Charlie Campbell, of the Vesper House, Old Orchard Beach, was in attendance and aided greatly in making the affair a success.

Howard Shaw, all smiles, had a hearty greeting for everybody and especially those who were members of Lamoille Commandery.

The singing was all right. Stowe, with its splendid male musical talent, was reinforced on this occasion by a number of the visitors and they all sang "with one accord" and some discord.

What would an event of that kind be without Fred Boardman? Fred is not a man of words, but has a faculty of "touching the spot" in every man's breast which knows no equal.

Why not have these events oftener? Not only are they productive of a better acquaintance, but plans may be inaugurated at such gatherings that would result beneficially to the county in many ways.

Charlie Burt got his mind off from drawing logs and enjoyed every minute. And the same was true of Charlie Eddy, who had creameries enough for the time being, and added his share towards entertaining the company.

The transportation in the big teams from Morrisville was all right. Five of them, all with expert drivers, were carried down and back in the best of shape. We do not know how it was in the other teams, but the one in which "we" rode was manipulated by Leo Gates in good form, and the time passed pleasantly by various yarns and stories from the occupants, especially Bill Sherman and Jim Kelley, who vied with each other in interesting stories, all with a moral.

HYDE PARK.

Mrs. H. M. Savery of Rutland is a visitor at the Inn.

Ira Powell of Jeffersonville was a business visitor here yesterday.

The "oldest inhabitant" fails to recollect such a continued spell of cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stevens and Mrs. Delia Robbins were visitors in Hardwick yesterday.

Capt. Waite is having trouble with his left foot, suffering from an attack of blood poisoning in the heel.

The Home Culture Club were guests of Mrs. L. H. Lewis Monday evening. A good attendance and the usual interesting program.

Mrs. David Trudo is very ill. A consultation of physicians was held Sunday and while her case is serious her ultimate recovery may be expected.

Mrs. Rebecca Noyes, aged 89, died at Cambridge this morning. She was the widow of Wm. S. Noyes and a sister of the late Mrs. Abel Putnam.

C. A. Brush and C. A. June of Brandon are here at work on an extensive job of plumbing and other repairs now under way at the Hyde Park Inn. Additional bath rooms are being put in, the plumbing throughout the house overhauled and various other improvements being made.

Another robin has been discovered; his time H. A. Noyes espied the bird, and that in spite of the zero weather. The aforesaid man being of sound mind and of truth and veracity, his statement cannot well be denied. "All the same" "one swallow doesn't make a summer," and that is true of one robin. Give us a lot of 'em.

Word received here yesterday announced the death of Mrs. Martha Hall, widow of Merrill Hall, a son of the late John and Ladoeca Hall. She spent her early life here, being an adopted daughter of John Hall. She died at Portsmouth, N. H., last Monday and was about 65 years of age. She leaves a son, Geo. Hall, of Stratham, N. H., and a daughter, Mrs. Hattie Stewart of Portsmouth.

"A bean supper" just the proper thing for this time of year, will be served by the ladies at the Cong'l church on Tuesday evening of next week. Supper will be ready promptly at 6.15, giving office workers opportunity to get there in season for the passing of the first dish. There'll be an abundance of other good things to eat and a better feast you'll never get than will be put up at that time for 15c.

North Hyde Park Grange Wins the Cup

The silver cup, awarded by the State Grange to the Grange in the state having the best scoring program for the past year, has been won by Gihon Valley Grange of North Hyde Park. The cup is a beautiful one, on which is inscribed "Compliments of the Vermont State Grange." This is a compliment very worthily bestowed and shows that this Grange is a live, working organization. R. W. Crocker is the lecturer and that he puts work into his office is evident by this. The cup will be presented to the Grange at its meeting next Saturday evening and a large attendance is desired.